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Dear Examiner Wells,

Further to our telephone conversation this morning, attached are copies of the "Amendment with Request for Interview" and "Declaration of Gavril Pasternak and Yuri Kolesnikov under 37 C.F.R. §1.131" that were filed via Express Mail on April 21, 2003. Also attached are copies of the Express Mail receipt and return receipt postcard, demonstrating that these documents were received by the U.S.P.T.O.

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Also attached is a Supplemental Amendment. Please enter and consider it as well.

Do not hesitate to contact us if you require any further information or documents. Thank you for your assistance.

Best regards,

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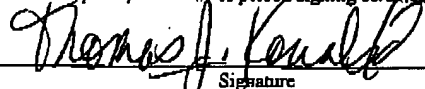
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SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

This is further to the Amendment filed on April 21, 2003, and in further response to the
Office Action mailed on January 22, 2003.